

THE BLAIRMORE ENTERPRISE

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"Serve the Church that the Church May Serve You."

CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH
BLAIRMORE
Rev. E. B. Arrol, B.A., Minister

Services Sunday next:
11:00 a.m., Senior school.
2:00 p.m., Junior school.
7:30 p.m., Public Worship.
Wednesday, 8 p.m., Prayer service.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BLAIRMORE
Rev. J. R. Hague, A.Th., Incumbent

Services Sunday next—
10 a.m., Sunday school; Bible class.
7:30 p.m., Evensong and sermon.

SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN
Lieuts. R. D. Marks and S. Nahmey,
Officers in charge.

Sunday services (in the L.O.O.E. hall, temporarily)—

11:00 a.m., Health Meeting.
8:00 p.m., Sunday School.

7:30 p.m., Salvation Meeting.

Tuesday: 7:30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.

Thursday: 8 p.m., Praire Meeting.
Fridays: at 6 p.m., Boys' Clubs.

Funerals and dedications on application to the local officer.

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AIR CADETS OF CANADA
Weekly Routine Orders (R.O. 46)

Issued by ACFO S. White, C. O. Twle. Mountain Squadron No. 157, Blaimeore, Alberta.

Parades: Thurs., June 10, 1943—

Fall In 1855 hrs
Signals 1900 to 1940
Aircraft Recognition 1940 to 2020
Admin. (H. S. only) 2020 to 2100
D. MacPherson, Adjutant.

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Report at once every fire or smoke you see, near at hand or far away, to the nearest forest ranger or R. C. M. P. official. Act quickly.

A flying fortress that had been renamed "FDR" for President Roosevelt on his last birthday, was one of eleven which failed to return from the heavy raid on Kiel on May 14.

The Enterprise acknowledges receipt of a color reprint of "A Profession of Faith," a contribution made by the two great Canadian railways to the Fourth Victory Loan campaign through the medium of magazine and newspaper displays. While designed to help achieve the splendid object of this campaign, the "Profession of Faith" has been issued with the further hope that it will prove to be an inspiration to every citizen of Canada. The two railways as common carriers have always endeavored to acquire themselves as good citizens, realizing the privilege they enjoy in serving this great country. They joined forces in supporting the recent Victory Loan campaign, knowing that its success was vital to the War for Freedom and to the future of Canada.

You too can serve by saving!
BUY WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

ACKNOWLEDGES DONATION ON BEHALF OF H.M.C.S. BLAIRMORE

The following letter was received by His Worship the Mayor last week end:

Dept. of National Defence,
Naval Service,
Halifax, N.S.,
24th May, 1943.

His Worship The

Mayor of Blaimeore,
Mr. E. Williams,
Blaimeore, Alberta.

Sir: On behalf of this ship's company I thank you for the very generous cheque, amount \$665, enclosed in your letter of May 3rd.

As requested by you, these funds have been taken in charge by the ship's canteen and will be used to buy little extras that are so necessary for the comfort of everybody.

Please convey to the citizens of the Town of Blaimeore our gratitude and assurance that the ship so named will ever endeavor to be a credit to all of you.

I thank you for the list of the subscribers to the above cheque. It, together with your letter, has been shown on the ship's notice board.

Yours faithfully,

WALTER J. KINGSMILL,
Lieutenant, R. C. N. V. R.,
Commanding Officer,
H.M.C.S. "BLAIRMORE."

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THE WAR EFFORT IN FILM

The national film board of Canada has made arrangements for the showing in film at intervals of four weeks, various phases of the United Nations war effort, at points in The Pass. The pictures will include actual scenes on war fronts, industrial effort and all phases of endeavor that go to winning the war. First of these programmes to appear in Blaimeore will be shown in the Union hall on Wednesday next, June 9th, with shows at 11 a.m. for afternoon-shift workers and at 7:30 p.m. for day shift. Length of these programmes will be around one and a half hours. See posters for further particulars.

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A BRITISH COLUMBIA OPINION

A colorful figure has passed from the scene of Canadian politics with the death of Premier William Aberhart last Sunday morning. It is not our purpose to discuss at this time the wisdom or fallacy of the policies he advocated or put into effect within his province, but rather to pay tribute to a man who fought with his whole heart and strength against powerful and bitter opposition, to advance legislation that, in his opinion, would better the conditions of the common people.

None will doubt that the late William Aberhart had the welfare and best interests of his people sincerely and deeply at heart, and for this reason he earned the love and respect of a very large following in his province. William Aberhart was a crusader with lofty ideals. He worked diligently and earnestly towards what he considered a betterment of conditions for his fellow man—and none of us can aspire to a more worthy achievement in this life.—Cranbrook Courier.

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If variety is the spice of life, then it must be admitted by all hands in Montreal that our weather is spicy indeed. Just two weeks ago we awoke in the early hours (anything before 11 a.m. is an early hour for us) to hear a familiar sound outside the apartment. Somebody was shoveling snow off the walk. Yesterday morning we heard another sort of sound—it's time it was somebody cutting grass with a lawn mower. And right now, in the midst of a mid-May writing effort, we hear another sound. Sleet is thudding against the window. Variety all right, but is it spice?—Aluminum Ingots.

THE BLAIRMORE ENTERPRISE, FRIDAY, JUNE 4, 1943.



With the wood-fuel shortage likely to be aggravated by a serious shortage of coal next winter, some Canadian municipalities are working out plans for community woodpiles. In addition, many individual householders are making their own arrangements to cut at least a part of their wood supply. As a guide to inexperienced cutters, the munitions and supply department offers the above chart, which indicates the proportionate usefulness of the more common firewood trees in Canada.

ABERHART PASSES

NATIONAL SELECTIVE SERVICE

Death of that proposal to pay everybody \$25 a month d'ont come schools will soon be here. A longer vacation period for the purpose of assisting employers in carrying on their business. Labor shortage is becoming acute. Many school teachers and pupils of the high schools have registered for employment for the vacation period. Employers' co-operation in placing these applicants will be appreciated. If you need labor, register your order with the National Selective Service at Blaimeore.

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Mrs. G. C. Pangman, of Blaimeore, spent the week end in town with her husband, who is employed with the Kimberley Transfer—Kimberley, B. C. Courier.

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If you inadvertently start a fire in the woods while out hiking, don't run away. Do what you can to put it out. Failing that, report at once to the nearest forest ranger.

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Macleod will stage a two-day stampede on June 30 and July 1.



GENERAL SMUTS AT BRITISH ROYAL NAVAL COLLEGE DINNER

A dinner was given in the Painted Hall of the Royal Naval College at Greenwich, London, in honor of Field Marshal Smuts. The First Lord of the Admiralty, Mr. A. V. Alexander; Admiral of the Fleet, Sir Dudley Pound; Secretary of State for War, Sir James Grigg; Air Chief Marshal, Sir Charles Portal; General Sir Alan Brooke, Lord Leathers and Mr. Atlee were amongst the prominent men who attended the dinner. Picture shows Field Marshal Smuts signing the visitors' book, watched by Mr. A. V. Alexander.

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

May 27. (Received too late for last issue). There has been a few cases of scarlet fever in the Tennessee district, but none serious.

On Friday a clinic was in attendance at the Cowley school, vaccinating for smallpox and inoculating against diphtheria.

X. C. Kaup attended the funeral of his mother at New Dayton. The community joins in sympathy.

Mrs. Robert Littleton lent her home on Wednesday afternoon for the regular monthly meeting of the local branch of the Red Cross, when seventeen women attended. A packing case of garments was tagged and made ready for shipment, consisting of flannelette pajamas, oversized serge dresses for women, knitted woolen socks for men, sweaters and various articles of clothing for children. Arrangements were made to have a booth, consisting of miscellaneous articles, at the Lundbreck Red Cross bazaar on June 16th. Committees were appointed to canvas for wares for the sale, covering the district by dividing it into sections, having a separate committee for each division in order to make a complete coverage. Mrs. John Owen and Mr. Ed. Hewitt represented the North Fork Red Cross branch in paying a visit at this meeting, bringing a goodly number of garments that their branch had made. These will be sent to headquarters along with the Cowley shipment.

June 3-J. Bougerolle, of Mount Lehman, B.C., is paying a visit to his son, here.

R. A. McNeill, of the Cowley airport, has gone to Atwater, Sask., to spend a month's holiday.

Miss Marion Morrison, who has been on the nursing staff of a Medicine Hat hospital for several months, has returned home for two weeks' holiday before going to Vancouver, where she will be employed in the General hospital.

Several parties from here attended the Red Cross dance at the A7 Ranch on Friday night last, and reported a very enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Murray, of the Cowley airport, have returned from a month's holiday spent at various South Alberta points.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Anglican church were entertained for their regular monthly meeting at the home of Miss Doris Musgrave on Friday night. Arrangements are under way to install electric lights in the church as soon as the necessary equipment is available. At the close of the meeting the men were invited for luncheon when Mrs. F. A. Turton was presented with a lovely bible as a token of appreciation for her services in Sunday school and church work, she having been organist and teacher in the Sunday school for a long period of years. The presentation speech was made by Mr. Harry Smyth, and appropriately replied to by the recipient.

John Stallion, Phyllis and Phoebe Mares and a number of the Cattle family gave the skivvy the once over several times this week.

In a letter received a few days ago, we are advised that latest legislation requires newspapers to publish the names of delinquent subscribers, who are unpaid up to December 31st last.

HONORS FOR SCHOLARS

C J O C

1940 K.

Friday, June 4th

9:30 p.m.

Bellevue High School

vs.

Del Bonita High School

sponsored by

McGAVIN'S

\$2.00 PER ANNIVERSARY

BLAIRMORE'S BIG FESTIVAL
DAY OF JULY FIFTH

At a recent meeting of the Blaimeore Community Service Association it was decided to hold a festival and day at the Blaimeore Stadium on Monday, July 5th. Committees were appointed and efforts will be made to make the event the biggest ever.

There will be a mammoth display of floats and citizens in procession, led by the 157th Turtle Mountain Squadron Air Cadets' bugle band. Sports at the grounds will include races, jumps, etc., also bicycle races and the regular 2 1/2-mile marathon for boys under 19 for the Billy Royle Memorial Cup.

Entries are already being received from men's and ladies' fastball teams of Southern Alberta and good prizes are being set aside.

The celebration will come to a close with a dance in the Columbus hall at night.

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BLAIRMORE GIRL RANKS HIGH

Natalie Minunz, fifteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Minunz, of Blaimeore, residing in Vancouver, where she has been studying voice under the tutorage of John Gosse, recently won high marks and unusual praise from the adjudicators of the British Columbia provincial musical festival at Vancouver, open to American and Canadian competitors. In the girls' vocal class under 18 she won first place with 90 against a field of twenty competitors. She came second in the ladies' oratorio, open, with 88 marks against fifteen competitors. She was also awarded first place in the mezzo-soprano open with 88 against a field of eight entries, nearly all over the junior age.

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HILLCREST HAPPENINGS

Mr. J. Norton, of Calgary and former resident here, is visiting his brother Frank.

Mrs. B. Carter has returned to Hillcrest after spending a lengthy holiday with friends in the U.S.A.

Mrs. Andrew, of Lethbridge, visited her parents here over the week end.

Donald Grant returned to Calgary after spending a month with his parents here.

Willie Semanick will leave Hillcrest to take up residence in Vancouver.

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TO IMPROVE LABOR'S STANDARD OF LIVING

Recent sittings of the war labor board reveal the peculiar slant of organized labor on questions which affect its own welfare. The object of labor should be to increase the total volume of wage payments, thus providing a higher standard of living for all, but its sole interest continues to be higher wage rates—an entirely different matter.

Past records prove that labor cannot increase its percentage share of the national income by raising wage rates. When wage rates go up, cost of living rises—this reduces the real rate of wages. The increase in cost cuts purchasing power, not of labor alone, but of all—hence, as a result, smaller total volume of purchasing power, more unemployment.

There are only two ways of improving labor's standard of living—increase the national income, or lower the price of goods. Both are ignored by labor. It is an amazing illustration of the fact that representatives of organized bodies do not always reflect the real interest of those they are supposed to represent. Stranger still is it that, in these circumstances, new organizations do not arise with full comprehension of the basic facts. It would be extremely difficult to show that present labor organizations have done anything to improve the condition of labor as a whole.—R.J.D., Ottawa.



PATTERN FOR DISASTER

BY J. B. RYAN

CHAPTER V.

"YOU are to come with us, señor," Rosita said shortly.

"I am afraid that is impossible," Morgan shook his head. "I have given my word not to leave this hotel—"

"...and I am a murderer!" the girl said confoundingly.

"I did not kill your uncle, señorita."

Morgan was trying to keep his temper in check. "I have twice you have come to me on circumstances of evidence. I am afraid you are slightly arrogant, Señorita Velasquez. You seem determined to allow no one to set a trap for me."

"Defense?" she retorted, scorn immeasurable in her voice. "There is no defense against the proof we have."

Her eyes were glittering with hostility, and Morgan realized with a shock that the Velasquez brother and sister were determined on taking the girl and their hands. Swiftly, Morgan dropped his hands down in an attempt to seize the girl's arms.

But she evaded him by a quick backward spring. "Esteban!" she cried sharply. At the same instant before Morgan could move his black streak blurred across his eyes and in his ears sounded a cracking report.

For a split second Morgan fancied that he had been shot in the head by the automatic. Then he realized that the explosive sound had been the cracking of the bull-whip, flung by Morgan over his shoulder. The arms like a constricting anaconda. Morgan's hands were pinned to his sides, the whip tightened again, and Morgan was hung to the door.

As he fell, both Rosita and Esteban advanced. Morgan opened his eyes to see the hairy-tressed cowboy bending over the American. Esteban Velasquez shortened his grip on the wrists and struck the weighted end against the side of Morgan's head.

From the darkness of unconsciousness Morgan opened his eyes again.

He lay dazed in the shadows of the darkness of night. At first he believed himself in the throes of dizziness, then realized that the jolting sensation was that of an automatic in motion.

He was lying in a chair, in the back seat of the car, in the darkness of the car.

Street lights flitted past. Ahead of him, silhouetted against the wind-swept darkness, was the shadow of the driver, distinct enough for Morgan to know that a woman was at the wheel.

He closed his eyes again, and the driver, holding a sheet of folded paper, held it to his face.

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Morgan leaped forward so the girl could hear him above the purring of the motor. "Señorita Velasquez, you let me in. Casa Grande to me. If you remained you would have learned that no maps or papers were in my room; were you there now you would also discover that the fingerprints on the glass are not mine."

"The maps are in your room," the girl answered without turning her head. "I found them and the wallet of Uncle Miguel. I am afraid that if you remained you would have learned that no maps or papers were in my room; were you there now you would also discover that the fingerprints on the glass are not mine."

"Then why did we have those papers on him at the Casa Grande? That is what will make his reputation."

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"I am afraid to lie, señor. You do those things so clumsily. Since the

Tested Block Busters

British Scientists Have Completed Interesting Experiment With Bombs

A group of British scientists has completed one of the noisiest experiments of the war to answer the question, "Which is the more effective—8,000 pound bomb or two 4,000 pounders?"

They exploded ten 100-pound bombs on different types of surface and measured the blast. Then they got one 8,000-pounder and compared the blast effect with the smaller ones.

The effect of the 100-pounders, they found, depended too much on the ground or material on which they fell. The 1,000-pounders were far more reliable.

They wanted to make further experiments with 4,000-pounders and 8,000-pounders but they could not find a big enough area of waste land on which to explode them. They infer, however, that an 8,000-pounder does not have twice the blast effect of two 4,000-pounders. But it is far more concentrated and 100 per cent reliable, and is best for block busting over a limited area—the Krupp area, at Eschweiler, in South America.

There is a web of Nazi camouflage that enables the Axis to move about with impunity. If that U-boat commander had been a Nazi, he would have been at the Casa Grande. It was possible that the hotel was a strand, not the centre of the web that we are. So I because I could speak Spanish fluently, I gave a lesson of absence from the U.S. Navy and down here to investigate."

(To Be Continued.)

Next chapter: The tables are turned.

Have Been Great Help

Salvage Shows For Children On Prairie Ranches

School children of the Prairie Provinces have been bringing the scrap.

In Brandon, Manitoba, where a successful fat show had already been held, the Patriotic Salvage Corps of that city, asked the local theatres to present a second salvage show, this time for clean rags. The minimum price for admission to the show was five pounds of rags. The result was an accumulation of nearly 6,000 pounds.

Youngsters in Saskatoon, Saskatchewan, brought in 3,000 pounds of rags to a local theatre when a children's Fats Salvage Show was presented.

Calgary, Alta., also held Fats Salvage shows for the children. The result of their initial experiment was 1,500 pounds of fats.

Calgary Salvage officials estimated that that amount of fat will yield 200 pounds of glycerine, which in turn, will make 5,250 pounds of high explosive, which will fire 48,000 pounds of machine gun ammunition.

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"I shall be pleased to cut his throat for you, my little ones."

"No, Pancho," Rosita interposed swiftly. "We are not ready for that. The police cannot find him."

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THE PREMIER PASSES

A storm centre of the Alberta political scene for eight years, Premier William Aberhart passed away last Sunday morning. In the presence of death controversy ends. The Great Reaper's scythe stills the voice of criticism. How aptly come the words of Shakespeare, "The good men do live after them; the evil is oft interred with their bones." Everybody does some good in their lives and also some evil. We are all cast in the same human mould.

At present the accomplishments and failures of the late premier cannot be properly appraised. The picture is too recently painted. The true verdict rests entirely with history. Political postmortems are out of place right now. But this can be said: it is probable no Canadian personage aroused such political storms as did William Aberhart. The wave of enthusiasm which swept him into power was of the nature of a holy crusade.

William Aberhart possessed a colorful and dynamic personality. Unquestionably a man of vast capabilities, he could not be obscured in any group. His period of premiership furnished one of the most interesting eras of Alberta's history. — Brooks Bulletin

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KEEP 'EM HAPPY—BY MAIL

Letter-writing is not an art, and the more "arty" it becomes the less readable it is. To write an interesting letter to a service man the first thing to do is to forget about such things as grammar or the correct formal etiquette of letter-writing. Write your letter just as if the recipient was sitting across the table and you were conversing with him.

Tell him all the gossip you can think of—who married whom, and who didn't. Tell him about Mrs. Blank's explosion of aristocratic rage when her new bonnet blew off outside the church.

Tell him anything you can think of, and write as if you were actually talking to him face to face. Only then will your real personality shine out between the lines. Anyone can write a correct letter—but only you can write as you talk.

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HAIRDRESSERS ARE
NEEDED BY AIR FORCE

There are openings for a limited number of experienced hairdressers in the Women's Division of the RCAF. A minimum of three years practical paid experience and a satisfactory knowledge of and proficiency in hair cutting, trimming, thinning, marcelling, fingerwaving, singeing, shampooing and drying is necessary. An excellent opportunity for hairdressers who have been wanting to enlist, but wishing to use their previous training to go into active service with the women's division.

It is expected there will be a rush to meet this quota, so if you fill the above requirements, don't delay. Call or write No. 2 Recruiting Centre, RCAF, 1206 1st St. E., Calgary.

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Jim: "Will your wife hit the ceiling when you come in at this hour?" Joe: "Probably. She's a rotten sort."

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LOCAL AND GENERAL ITEMS

Luigi Denotaria is still under medical treatment in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCloy and family left Coleman this week to take up residence in Calgary.

According to an examination paper, a circle is a round straight line with a hole in the middle.

A woman educator says the modern girl is always on her toes. Maybe it's because of high heels.

Fish became sadly disappointed at the lack of ability of fishermen on the season's opening day.

Long pyjamas are said to be in style now. They haven't appeared on the streets in Blairmore yet.

Dr. Glasgow, of Michel, has enlisted for active service. Dr. Cook will vary on during his absence.

A man seldom hears the knock of opportunity if he pays too much attention to the knock of neighbors.

The town of Brooks offers \$50 to the local householder whose home and grounds are judged to be the most beautiful during 1943.

Two Edmonton men were fined \$50 and costs each for being in illegal possession of American cigarettes. One had 2,800 of them, the other 1,400.

The building just west of The Enterprise office and formerly occupied by L. Pozzi, is being renovated to be used by the district corps of the Salvation Army.

A monument is being moved from Hill Sixty-about the last relic of the great old war days between Frank and Blairmore in which three or four lives were lost.

It is hard to understand how people in some states in the U.S.A. can survive on less than a quart of hard liquor per day, and in Ontario on less than 130 ounces per month.

A train of second-hand auto purchased from Blairmore Motors last week end, left here for Calgary on Sunday morning, driven by men and women drivers from the city.

With parades scheduled for Thursday next, the Air Cadets will break off for the summer. Officers will go in camp the following week and the cadets the early part of July.

William Evans, of Coleman, recently underwent an operation in a Calgary hospital that was said to be successful. He has returned home, accompanied by his son James.

Capt. John D. Little recently saw the ambulance donated by the people of Blairmore and Frank. Mr. Little will be remembered locally, his wife being the former Madeleine Hewitt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Hewitt, of Frank.

Hon. E. C. Manning, 34-year-old member of the Alberta cabinet, has been sworn in as successor to the late William Aberhart as premier of Alberta. He thus becomes the youngest provincial government leader in the Dominion.

In ten weeks between September and November of 1941, British workers, toiling day and night, built and dispatched 1,000 railway freight cars to Iran to carry supplies to Russia. In peace time this would have been twelve months' output.

A local Scotie phoned the doctor in a state of great agitation: "Come at once," he cried, "my baby has swallowed a dime!"

"How old is it?" asked the doctor. "Eighteen hundred and ninety-four," came the reply.

The witness was certainly no chicken, and the young Blairmore barrister thought it would be to his advantage to get her rattled. "And now, madam, I must ask a personal question: 'How old are you?'"

"Young man," she replied, "it isn't more than an hour since the judge there objected to hear-say evidence, and I don't remember being born."

The Enterprise has shot down 185 Jap planes in a year.

Albert William Wells, of Bellevue, is among the latest to join the Army at Calgary.

Vice-President D. C. Coleman's special passed through Blairmore at an early hour Monday morning, heading for B.C. points.

Now that the fishing season is opened, the river dredge heaps through Blairmore make it terribly dangerous for persons, particularly young folks, to fish from the banks.

The softball game at the Blairmore Stadium on Sunday afternoon resulted in a score of 12-11, in favor of the Cadets against the Blairmore Elks. The game was witnessed by a good crowd of fans.

Clareholm I.O.O.F. Lodge donated \$1,000 to the fund required for establishment of a recreation hall for the service at that point. Other contributions include Burns & Co., Calgary Power Co., Palm Dalies, Purity Bottling Works, Plunkett & Savage, Scott Fruit Co., \$50 each, and Queen's Hotel \$100.

Under reciprocal aid, Britain is supplying U.S. troops in the European theatre with more than 400,000,000 pounds of food in 1943, including 200,000,000 pounds of potatoes, 89,200,000 pounds of fresh vegetables, 148,000,000 pounds of flour, 55,000,000 pounds of sugar, 4,000,000 pounds of jam and 18,000 pounds of fruit.

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Tim Buck says the Communist party has not been dissolved.

The Free French will hold a whist drive and social evening in the Olivia hall on Wednesday night next.

Mrs. Francis B. Reilly, 59, of Regina, grand secretary of the Eastern Star order in Saskatchewan, passed away in Toronto on Friday, following a brief illness.

Mrs. E. Robinson, of Calgary, who attended the provincial music festival at Lethbridge, spent a few days in Blairmore with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stewes before returning home.

Brigadier T. H. Mundy, of the Salvation Army, recently arrived in Toronto after having spent thirty months in the Old Land as senior representative of overseas war services.

Charts showing the coupon values of meat will shortly be in the hands of all householders to provide a guide to marketing. Meat coupons, brown spans A, are in pairs, two number one, two number two, and so on. Each pair, good for one week's supply per person, becomes valid each Thursday.

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The Airspeed Oxford Mk. II, powered by two 375 h.p. Cheetah X air-cooled radial engines giving a cruising speed of 160 m.p.h., is the standard trainer used by the R.A.F. Photo shows the Airspeed Oxford Mk. II in flight. December, 1942.

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FOREST FIRES IN
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The department of mines and resources at Ottawa reports that the forest fire season of 1942 was fortunately a rather favorable one. The total cost and damage was \$3,550,181, compared with an annual average for the previous ten years of \$5,276,122. The total area burned over was 1,854,71 acres, compared with an annual average of 2,428,659 acres for the previous decade.

The number of fires was less than the average for the previous decade in all provinces. Favorable weather conditions and fewer people visiting the forests as a result of reduced tourist travel, no doubt accounted for this reduction in the number of fires. However, in spite of the reduced number of fires, British Columbia, Saskatchewan and Nova Scotia reported the area burned over and the cost plus damage to be very considerably above normal. This may be the result of a reduction in skilled staff and a shortage of manpower for fire-fighting due to the war effort.

Of all forest fires during 1941 in Canada, 21 per cent were caused by lightning and 79 per cent by human carelessness. This is a rather sad commentary in the face of the scarcity of men to fight fire and the importance of Canada's forests to the war effort. Such carelessness destroys valuable timber needed in the war effort, ruins recreation spots which the boys overseas have every right to expect to be preserved for their return, may fill the air with smoke haze as to seriously impede air travel and the operation of air-training schools, and may require men engaged on war work to lay down their tools to fight fire.

Let everyone who has occasion to enter the forest this year seriously consider the responsibility which rests upon him to make absolutely sure he does not start a forest fire with cigarettes, matches, camp fires or other means.

Remember — forest fires help the enemy.

SPECIAL SUBSCRIPTION OFFERS

The Enterprise has the agency for and offers the following papers and magazines at the following rates:

American Girl, one year \$2.00
American Fruit Grower, 1 year .50
American Magazine, 1 yr .50
American Mercury, one year .30
Better Home & Homemaking, yr .35
Better Home on Gardens, 1 yr 1.50
Canadian Home Journal, 1 yr .20
Canadian Home & Gardens, 1 yr 2.00
Canadian Horticulture & Home, two years 1.00
Chatelaine Magazine, one year 1.00
Col. Life, one year .50
Children's Activities (10 yr) .35
Christian Herald, one year 2.00
Collier's Weekly, one year .30
Country Guide, 1 yr 50c, 3 yrs 1.00
Canadian Geographer, one year 1.00
Canadian Gymnast, two years 1.00
Canadian Silver Fox & Fur, 1 yr 1.00
Canadian Poultry Review, 1 year 1.00
Click Magazine, one year .20
Consumer, one year .20
Country Gentleman, two years 1.00
Canadian Farmer (Ukrainian Weekly), one year 2.00
Column Review, one year .30
Der. Northwestern (weekly) 1 yr
Eating Made Easy, one year 2.00
Estate, one year .25
Fact Digest, one year 1.50
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Life, one year .50
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McCall's Magazine, one year .50
Nature Magazine, one year .30
Newsweek, one year .50
National Home Monthly, 1 year 1.00
New World, one year .50
Opportunity (for boys) one year 1.50
Parents' Magazine, one year 2.00
Photoplay, Movie Mirror, 1 year 1.50
Popular Mechanics, one year 3.00
Saturday Evening Post, one year 3.00
Science News, one year .30
Screenland, one year 2.00
Silver Screen, one year .20
Science & Discovery, one year 1.00
Sports Afield, one year .50
True Story Magazine, one year 1.00
Travel, one year .45
Time, one year .50
Western Producer, one year 1.50
World Home Journal, 1 yr 1.50
Your Life, one year .30
Reader's Digest, one year 3.00
Red Book, one year .20
Popular Science Monthly, 1 year 2.50
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SOCIAL CREDIT MANIFESTO

At a caucus of Social Credit members in Edmonton on Monday night a statement of policy was issued, reaffirming the party's resolve to continue with renewed vigor the struggle to gain for the people more effective control of their credit resources and freedom from exploitation by vested interests, monopolies and combines. The establishment of a functioning democracy, both economic and political, which would provide:

1. Absolute sovereignty of the people in their respective spheres of constitutional authority;
2. Use of the vast resources of the nation for a maximum war effort and to guarantee the greatest possible individual security and freedom after the war;
3. The full and proper recognition of the courage and sacrifice of the men and women of the fighting forces and their dependents.

4. Freedom from all state bureaucracy, regimentation, harsh taxation, burdensome debt and other unnecessary restrictions which curtail the democratic rights and the freedom of the individual.

A statement also re-affirmed the party's determination to continue development of the Social Credit interim programme, re-affirmed loyalty and adherence to Social Credit and the party to continue the great crusade for social justice initiated and carried forward by our late beloved leader with such inspiring devotion, courage and faith, and for which in the end he gave his life.

DENY REPORTS GAS
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Reports current in some parts of the country that the basic gasoline unit is to be reduced from three gallons to two gallons have been denied by G. R. Cottrell, Dominion oil controller. He has stated that the report, published in an eastern newspaper, was "made out of whole cloth."

Recently the oil controller visited Alberta and met different government and other officials. At that time, he told representatives of the Alberta Motor Association that there was nothing to announce concerning the basic unit for gasoline rationing. With the uncertainties of the war situation, it was impossible to make any definite statement from day to day concerning fuel rationing, he indicated.

The controller's official denial of the report that the coupon value will be reduced will be welcomed by Alberta motorists, particularly those who find it difficult even now to obtain adequate fuel for their essential business requirements.

At the same time, it is realized that the armed forces and war industries have priority in this national emergency, because the first and primary objective must be to win the war.

Mrs. O. D. Davis, of High River, hopes soon to join her husband at Whitehorse, N.W.T.

Charlie Yen, well known Natal restauranteur, was guest of a local dentist on Thursday afternoon, when ten "undesirables" were successfully removed.

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Advertising in the Lethbridge and Calgary daily papers is attracting a lot of buyers from this district. This could be curtailed considerably if local merchants would make their appeals through the columns of The Enterprise, which reaches the majority of homes and is always readable.

Merchants are reminded that counter check books can be purchased through The Enterprise at factory prices, which includes sales tax and freight costs right to your place of business. All kinds of commercial printing can be supplied. By ordering here, you help to develop home industry, and the benefit is mutual.

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Post-War Germany

ONE OF THE MOST VITAL post-war problems which will face the United Nations will be the regeneration of the German people. For over twenty years the press and radio of Germany, as well as the entire educational system have been controlled by the Nazis, and the effect of this on the mental outlook of a large part of the population has been profound. The task of persuading these people that they have been victimized by their leaders and that their whole ideology is distorted, will be a difficult one. It is clear that one way in which it will have to be approached is through the schools, and that the entire system will have to be revised to eliminate all traces of the Nazi influence. It has been suggested that this will have to be done under the supervision of the Allied Nations, and that German schools must accept a standard of education which will imbue the youth of that country with sound principles.

Propaganda Is Cleverly Used

The clever use of propaganda by the Germans has long been recognized. Not only in Germany, but in the countries she has sought to conquer, this weapon has been used with consummate skill. Many Germans were, in the beginning, impressed with the aims of the Nazi party and sincerely believed that it was working in the best interests of their country. When they were drawn into the war, these people realized that the Nazi party was founded on lies and trickery, and they have long ceased to have any faith in their leaders. To these people will fall the task of informing their countrymen of the extent to which they have been deceived by the Nazis, and of convincing them of the many ways in which they have been misinformed. It will also be necessary for the United Nations to be prepared to release German language amounts of propaganda, telling them the truth about the war and the events leading up to it, and proving to them the extent to which they have been duped by their leaders.

Problem Is Not A Simple One

So thorough has been the whole system of Nazi education, both in the schools and of the people as a whole, that the problem of breaking down all the principles they have taught is not going to be a simple one. Although many people in Germany must realize that they have been misled, there are no doubt many others, particularly of the younger generations, who will, until the end, maintain their faith in the Nazi party. These thousands of young people, whose outlook has been completely distorted, will be the most difficult to convince and to re-educate. No doubt post-war plans of the United Nations include a program for dealing with this problem, and the time will come when the Germans will have learned that they are not a "superior" race, and that it is not their right to dominate weaker nations. When the German people have thoroughly learned these things there will be hope for permanent peace in Europe.



HEALTH LEAGUE OF CANADA

THIAMIN is also known as Vitamin B1 and it is important both for the nervous system and the digestive tract. It is most important to general health and morale, as has been recognized by the British Government, which pays out thousands of pounds a year for its addition to all flour and bread consumed in the United Kingdom.

Thiamin is easily destroyed by heat and it also dissolves in the cooking water, so one has to be very careful in the preparation and cooking of food to see that as little as possible is lost. NEVER throw away the water in which vegetables are cooked. It is valuable in soups and gravies. When you are baking bread and cake, add a pinch of thiamin. If you want to be sure you get sufficient of it add one or two teaspoonsful of wheat germ to your breakfast cereal. Do not cook the wheat germ with the cereal, but sprinkle it on top or mix it in after the cereal has been cooked. Wheat germ may also be added to flour for muffins or other pastry.

To get enough thiamin everyone should eat a whole wheat cereal, preferably with the wheat germ added, and four to six slices of whole wheat bread every day.

RECIPE

Whole Wheat Muffins

1/4 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup shortening
1/2 cup flour
1/2 cup whole wheat flour
1/2 teaspoon soda

Cream fat and sugar, add egg, milk, bran, and the flour, sifted well with soda, add a little water. Pour into well-mixed muffin tins and bake in an oven (425 degrees) for 15 minutes. Wheat germ should be added just before pouring into muffin tins.

Write to the Western Division Health League of Canada, 111 Avenue Road, Toronto, for a free Vitamin Chart.

Works In Her Sleep

Woman In Australia Has Many Ideas For Inventions

Mrs. Maria Farrell paints pictures, composes music, and invents patent devices and medicines in her sleep, says the Australian News Letter.

She started inventing at the age of 10, when she produced an extra safety-pin, shaped like a treble clef.

Since then she has invented 32 other devices and medicines, including a trap which catches rabbits without hurting them; a magic ray which can be thrown 200,000 metres; a clothes line on which 180 feet of clothing can be hung.

"All these wonderful things just come out of my head as soon as I go to sleep," she said. "I get out bed without knowing it, and start work on the job. All my best work has been done in my sleep."

During the First Great War, the length of torpedoes increased from 30 to 24 feet.

Use It For Money

Natives Of New Guinea Like Strong American Chewing Tobacco

From 20 to 80 tons of the strongest, blackest chewing tobacco that ever turned a man's insides out is now being supplied to Australia under U.S. Lend-Lease, and some of it is going to American forces in the Pacific area. Reason is that the natives of New Guinea like it for money, passing it from hand to hand in place of dollars and dimes. In a way, this shows how much more advanced the jungle people are and how much smarter than civilised folks whose coins do not improve the soup and whose paper currency is no good to eat even with mayonnaise on rye.

Hardened chewers couldn't stomach this Pacific brand of eating tobacco. It is called "twist." This New Guinea twist is twisted like a rope and cut in seven centimetre lengths, each one producing a knot which sticks a quarter inch thick and half an inch wide. It looks something like a stick of flat licorice, but don't let it fool you. The tobacco is made from stronger, lower grade straws and stems, fire-cured like stuff, and the sticks are heavily "caxed" with a secret dressing which makes them blacker than a Jap's heart.

But two or three sticks will buy a downed airman's way out of the jungle and back to civilization, complete with transportation via litter or boat, food enroute, and a guide.—S. Thomas Times-Journal.

SMILE AWHILE

A woman purchasing war bonds told the clerk:

"I've been saving this money to divorce my husband, but I can stand him better than I can Hitler."

Doctor: "I want to change the death certificate I gave you yesterday."

Coroner: "What is wrong?" Doctor: "I am my name in the space marked 'Cause of Death'."

He (on his knees) "Darling, I love you with all my heart, with all my soul, and with all the strength of my being."

She: "Are you in earnest?" He (reproachfully): "In earnest? Do you think I'm bagging my trousers in this way for fun?"

Brooks was phoning his wife from the office.

"Hello, darling," he said. "I'm very sorry, but I won't be home till very late tonight. I'm fire-watching."

"Oh, you are, are you?" snapped his wife. "And who is the dame?"

After the blackout the girl protested: "Erbert, you shouldn't have kissed me like that, with all those people so close around us, even if it is in the dark."

"I didn't kiss you," answered Herbert, looking angrily around in the crowd. "I only knew who it was—I'd teach him!"

"Erbert," signed the girl, "you couldn't teach 'im nothing!"

The busboy had waited outside the public telephone booth, trying to restrain his rising temper. At last, seeing the lady fumbling with the pages of the directory, he opened the door and volunteered his service.

"Can I help you find a number, madam?" he enquired politely.

"Oh, no, thank you very much," she replied. "I'm just looking for a name for my baby."

An old colored man was asked what "breed of chicken" he considered best. All kinds has merits," he replied. "De white ones is de easiest to find but de black ones is de easiest to hide after you git 'em."

Mrs. Newley — "How do you cook pork and beans?"

Mother-in-law — "That isn't the question, my dear. How do you get them?"

Plumber (arriving late): "How have you managed?"

Householder: "Not so badly."

While we were waiting for you to arrive I taught the children to swim."

Mary walked up to the bank clerk's window and said: "I would like to buy some traveller's cheques."

The clerk asked: "What denomination, please?"

Mary replied: "Methodist."

Mrs. Duke: "I always feel better after a good cry. I feel sort of gets things out of your system."

Mrs. Jawsom: "Yes, I know, and it also gets things out of your husband."

Carry On Tradition

Group Of Canadians In India Transporting Freight By Air

Before the war, Canadians were carrying more freight by air than the people of any other country in the world, and today a small group of Canadians attached to an R.C.A.F. squadron in India is carrying on this tradition, said the R.C.A.F. news service.

The dispatch said the fliers are not veteran bush pilots but graduates of the combined training organizations, manning sturdy Hudsons which bear on their noses a flying elephant insignia.

They all say they don't like their jobs; they would rather be "fighting."

They fly in a short, shorts socks dragging to the ankles and often wearing shorts and socks, and don't look a bit like the picture of the interred German in helmet, fur-lined flying suit, parachute and high boots.

But they are doing a job which not only the R.A.F. but also the naval and army high commands in India term a vital one. Carrying it out means piloting the comparatively slow, lightly-armed Hudsons into areas in which it isn't always healthy for a Hurricane or Mohawk to fly alone.

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Way Suggested To Help Solve Food Problem

Hot Springs, Va. — Abolition of tariffs and restrictive measures as one means of solving the recurring problem of scarcity and overproduction in foods was urged by the Canadian delegation to the world food conference in session here.

In a 1,300-word memorandum to the conference, the Canadian delegation also praised as worthy of examination the British proposal to establish internationally-financed buffer stocks of primary products built up in years of plenty to tide the world over in lean years. This proposal was deemed of importance to Canada, which, the memorandum said, "has suffered in the past from disastrous fluctuations in the prices of these products."

"If, in fact," the memorandum continued, "feasible proposals for moderation of price fluctuations by the management of buffer stocks, internationally-held and financed, can be developed, they would supply an element of stability to the Canadians and other similar economies which it would be very difficult to achieve in any other way."

"Measures for dealing with them must extend beyond the field of primary products. Without such measures agricultural depressions will offer stubborn resistance to policies directed to the expanding of employment. But agricultural depressions will become less likely to occur in the future if the expectations of this conference can be realized and the importance of the device of buffer stocks will be correspondingly reduced."

Urging an international approach to the problems arising from the production and distribution of agricultural products, the Canadian memorandum said the experience "of the period between the two wars has shown unmistakably that purely national approaches to the problem . . . cannot be successful, except in rare instances." The problem then "is not international; it is said, 'and in many of its aspects international treatment can deal adequately with them.'

It went on: "The assurance of national security through the collaboration of nations is, therefore, prerequisite to a rational food program. Without it, the pressure to maintain, or return to, restrictive and impoverishing policies will be irresistible and misgivings on the subject of national security could readily be used as an apparent justification for such policies. Farm and food policies which are appropriate to preparation for war can never meet simultaneously the other goals of an adequately maintained agriculture and a high standard of nutrition."

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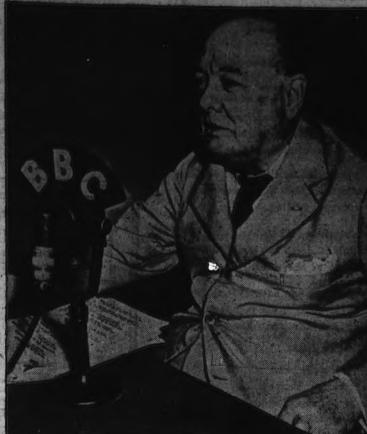
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CANADIANS DECORATED

London. — Nineteen Canadian airmen attended a recent investiture at Buckingham Palace to receive awards from the King. Seventeen were given the Distinguished Flying Medal, one received the British Empire Medal and another the Air Force Medal.

Broadcasts From The White House



Prime Minister Winston Churchill is shown as he delivered a radio broadcast to Britain from the White House in connection with the third anniversary of the English Home Guard. The prime minister's only allusion to the grand news from Tunisia was when he said: "One now must get up very early in the morning not to miss some news of victory."

Russia Denies Report That She Is Aiding Japan

London. — Informed sources said that there is little prospect that Russia will enter the war against Japan, at least until Britain and U.S. can engage the major portion of German military strength.

Russo-Japanese relations actually have been improving in direct proportion to Russian military successes in the west, informants said in commenting on Prime Minister Churchill's suggestion in Washington that Russia might find it well to offer more forcible opposition to the Japanese . . . cannot be successful, except in rare instances." The problem then "is not international; it is said, 'and in many of its aspects international treatment can deal adequately with them.'

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WINS VICTORIA CROSS

London. — Britain has awarded the Victoria Cross to Cmdr. John W. Linton of the submarine Turpentine which sank 100,000 tons of Axis shipping and destroyed three Italian transports by gunfire.

Since the fall of France, at least 1,500 convoys have been escort by the Royal Navy through the Straits of Dover.

DREW BIG CROWD

Flying Officer Beurling Receives Four Decorations From The King

London. — Flying Officer George Beurling of Verdun, Que., leading Canadian fighter pilot of the war, received four decorations from the King at a recent investiture at Buckingham Palace. He was decorated with the D.S.O., D.F.C. and D.F.M. and bar for his successes at Malta. He is credited with shooting down 29 enemy planes.

It was the first time any man had received four decorations at once at an investiture.

Beurling drew such a crowd when he left the palace grounds that traffic was blocked in and out of the palace gate.

The young Verdun, Que., ace told newspapermen waiting for him outside the palace that the King chatted with him about his record shooting on Malta, his recent six months in Canada and asked him, as hundreds have before: "Would you like to get back on operations?"

"I don't even remember what I told him," Beurling said.

Even the palace policemen, used to watching heroes by the dozen march in and out of the palace these days, said they had never seen anything like the commotion caused when the crowd discovered it was the Malta ace leaving the investiture.

EDSEL FORD DEAD

Has Been Chief Executive Of Company For 24 Years

Detroit. — Edsel Ford, 49, the only son of Henry Ford, founder of the vast Ford industrial empire, died last week at his home at Grosse Pointe Shores, a Detroit suburb.

Edsel, at the time of his death, was in the midst of one of his company's greatest efforts, an all-out production of war materials to help this country and its Allies in the war. Under his guidance the Ford organization performed its tremendous conversion to war production, and from its plants flew four-engined bombing planes, tanks, jeeps, amphibious jeeps, anti-tank units and much other war equipment.

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ARRIVED SAFELY

Another Canadian Contingent Reaches Britain After Uneventful Crossing

A British Port. — Reinforcements for the Canadian army overseas have arrived in Britain to take their places beside Dominion troops already awaiting the opening of an European front.

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French Way Of Extending A Welcome



Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery plants an enthusiastic kiss on the cheek of one of the pretty girls who welcomed his British Eighth Army when it captured the Tunisian port of Sousse.

Railwaymen Go Over The Top



Records in the dollar value of purchases and the number of individual subscribers were established by employees of the Canadian National Railways in the Fourth Victory Loan Campaign. Compared with results in the Third Victory Loan, the cash value of bond purchases by workers employed by the railway, Trans-Canada Air Lines and National Railways Munitions Board increased by 15 per cent. and at the same time the number of individual subscribers increased by 23.4 per cent. over those of the Fourth Victory Loan. Altogether individuals purchased bonds to a total of \$4,540,300. Of this amount more than \$2,000,000 came from Western region. The photograph shows one of the final wire reports being handed to D. C. Grant, dynamic vice-president and financial manager (left), in charge of the railway campaign. T. E. B. Russell, Canadian National Railways system assistant treasurer, and to the right, G. S. Cowie, system assistant treasurer, who aided Mr. Grant in organizing the campaign amongst National Railways workers to assist Canada's wartime finances.

Flying Pilsudski



Flying fighter planes from station to station in England is the job of Józef Piłsudski, a second officer in the R.A.F. Air Transport Auxiliary. She is the daughter of the late Marshal Józef Piłsudski of Poland and has been in Britain since 1939.

Plan Proposed To Rehouse Low Income Groups

Ottawa. — The executive of the Canadian federation of mayors and municipalities in a brief submitted to the opening session of the federal six-day annual conference proposed adoption of a "bold national policy" for reducing the low income groups at acceptable minimum standards" as a co-operative undertaking among federal, provincial and local governments and private enterprise.

The brief, prepared for presentation to the House of Commons re-establishment and reconstruction committee, discussed the role of municipalities in post-war rehabilitation and reconstruction.

To meet housing needs, it proposed these other steps:

"The federal government should extend, in accordance with local needs, financial assistance to local authorities, conditioned on the existence of a comprehensive town plan and housing program meeting satisfactory standards.

"The federal government should also extend and provide long-term, low-interest loans, up to 90 per cent. of the loanable value (say with a maximum of \$10,000) for housing purposes to individual home builders and building societies.

"A model provincial housing law should be prepared, to enable local communities to take part in a national housing program, and to carry out community rehousing programs in which public and private groups can co-operate. The provinces should be encouraged to enact legislation in conformity with such a model provincial housing.

"Municipal authorities should consider the reduction of the rates of taxation on buildings and there should be a corresponding increase of interest rates on loans, to lower the tax burden on home owners and the occupants of low-rent houses, and to stimulate rehabilitation of blighted areas and slums."

The brief foresees three periods in the post-war years. "The first would be a short period of readjustment, during which there would be some temporary unemployment because of the time lag in converting from war to civilian production. The second would be a period of intense industrial activity, to meet the deferred demand for consumer or civilian goods. The third would be the long-term period of self-sustaining economy."

Municipalities should have a post-war public works program ready to go into immediate effect during the first period. But in addition to small public works, there should be large works of a long-range nature for the third period.

VISIT UNOFFICIAL

Queen Of Netherlands Made Trip To Canada By Air

Montreal. — Queen Wilhelmina, of the Netherlands, arrived in Montreal May 26 by air en route to Ottawa to visit her daughter, Princess Julian.

The announcement was made by the Netherlands government information bureau here in a brief statement which said: "The Queen of the Netherlands arrived in Montreal by air en route to Ottawa for a short and unofficial visit to her daughter."

Allies Look For Tough Fight By Italian Soldiers

London. — The best Allied opinion warned against the impression that Italy is going to crack up and lay down her arms without an actual battle.

Despite recent reports concerning Italian internal conditions, these quarters believe that it will require methodical hard fighting to subdue Italy.

It was pointed out that the Allies generally are utilizing all possible weapons, including psychological warfare, in order to soften up Italy. But the actual conquest is expected to involve some tough going, and Allied troops probably will not be marching through the streets of Rome for some weeks, even with the best of luck.

Military quarters point out that vast quantities of supplies must be brought up and new bases established on docks, quays and depots in Tunisia before the Allies can move forward for the next operation.

Naturally, the exact plan of the Allied high command is not known, but the most logical pathway from Tunisia to Rome appears to lie from Pantelleria to Sicily and then to the southern tip of Italy. It would be possible for the Allies to launch simultaneous attacks against Pantelleria and Sicily but the task of overwhelming Sicily should not be under-estimated.

Actually, Allied landings on the Italian mainland from Sicily probably could be accomplished with far greater ease than the initial landings on Sicily.

The Allies also might land on Sardinia, but it appears possible that Sardinia will be bypassed, particularly if the main assault from the Mediterranean is swerved eastward from Italy into the Balkans.

There have been no indications of the Allies' intentions in the eastern Mediterranean where the Dodecanese Islands offer a tempting target. Likewise, there has been no indication of whether any of the Allied forces in Tunisia have been shifted eastward with the exception of Cairo reports regarding the arrival of some Tunisian air forces.

An equal silence exists regarding the disposition of the British Ninth and Tenth armies, Polish forces based in Iraq and French forces based in Syria.

There never has been any confirmation of Axis rumors that substantial American troop contingents are available in Palestine and Cyprus which are logical jumping off points for attacking the Dodecanese and Greek islands.

WANT TOO MUCH

Some People Greatly Exaggerated Their Needs For Canning Sugar

Ottawa. — E. W. Radomar, assistant deputy administrator of consumer rationing for the prices board, said that Canadian housewives had "exaggerated" their 1943 requirements for canning sugar in making applications to the board.

Mr. Radomar, speaking at the annual meeting of the Canadian Federation of Mayors and Municipalities, said it was decided about 100,000,000 pounds would be available this month for canning sugar. Reports from the department of agriculture were to the effect that normal use of sugar for canning was 80,000,000 pounds.

The amount of canning sugar asked for to date was \$10,000,000 pounds, he said. A family of four in Edmonton had asked for 700 pounds. A family of six somewhere else in Alberta asked for 1,500 pounds.

It had been expected 40 or 50 per cent. of the population would need sugar for home canning but nearly 9,000,000 people had applied, Mr. Radomar said.

CEILING RAISED

Wholesale Prices On Beef Have Been Advanced Slightly

Ottawa. — Wholesale price ceilings on beef carcasses, sides and quarters have advanced 25 cents a hundred-weight, foods administration officials of the prices board said, but they added the increase will affect consumer prices "only slightly."

"It amounts to one-quarter cent a pound and that will be reflected in retail increases up to a cent a pound for some cuts and no increase on others," they said.

The price advance represents the final price rise in the seasonal adjustment plan outlined in the statement of government policy last October.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
AND CLAIMANTS

In the Estate of JOSEPH DOBECK,
late of Burmis, Alberta, Farmer,
Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named JOSEPH DOBECK who died on 2nd June, 1942 are required to file with the undersigned by 3rd July, 1943 a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any security held by them; and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the Deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims as filed or which have been brought to his knowledge.

Dated at The Court House, Calgary,
Alberta, 1st June, 1943.

D. L. SLOAN,
Public Administrator for the
Judicial District of Macleod.

W. R. Cameron, of Blairmore, is listed among the latest to join the army in Calgary.

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STAMPS

His Honor Judge A. M. McDonald presided over a district court sitting in Blairmore on Wednesday of this week.

Women are not very strong physically, but they can put the cap on a fruit jar so that it takes a man twenty minutes to take it off.

The Duke of Windsor may be appointed governor of Bermuda. The present governor has been made chairman of British Overseas Airways Corporation.

All Alberta schools will close June 30 to re-open on October 11. The three-month holiday is designed to aid in relieving the harvest labor shortage in the fall. Schools will make up for the extra month next year by remaining open until the end of July.

Alberta's new cabinet was sworn in on Thursday afternoon as follows: Hon. E. C. Manning, premier and minister of trade and industry; Hon. Solon Low, provincial treasurer and minister of education; Hon. Lucien Maynard, attorney-general; Hon. C. E. Gerhart, minister of municipal affairs; Hon. A. J. Hooke, provincial secretary; Hon. Dr. W. W. Cross, minister of health; Hon. W. A. Fallow, minister of public works, railways and telephones; Hon. N. E. Tanner, minister of lands and mines, and Hon. D. Bruce MacMillan, minister of agriculture.

Local and General Items

The Editor will be glad to receive items for this section, regarding visitors entertained, parties leaving for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, tea, showers, presentations, anniversaries, etc. Phone items in 11 or hand them in at The Enterprise office not later than Thursday evenings.

Bicycle license plates must be attached on rear mudguard only.

It was so hot in Blairmore on Friday afternoon that the concrete sidewalks were sweating.

The stork is said to have rescued a little infant north of Lundbreck the early part of the week.

Henry Ford has been elected president of the Ford Motor Company, succeeding his late son, Edsel Bryant Ford.

A nice sight was witnessed from Cranbrook on Victoria Day, when a flock of about 200 wild geese passed north in perfect V formation, probably as a patriotic gesture.

Official announcement is made that the Prince of Wales hotel at Waterton and summer hotels in Glacier national park will not open this season. No inter-park Great Northern buses will operate either.

After three years as minister of Finance United church at Macleod, Rev. V. M. Gilbert has been granted leave of absence to be succeeded by Rev. W. J. Huston, of Blackie, who will take over the latter part of June.

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The body of a lad, believed to be that of a 17-year-old son of a Ferneite, was found in a badly decomposed condition in a cellar of a dilapidated abandoned building about a mile west of Ferneite last week end. A .22 caliber rifle found beside it has been traced by registration numbers, but the owner has not been contacted. The 17-year-old lad disappeared from his home eighteen months ago, and has not been heard of since.